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In re: Kamran Loghman-Adham

Appl. No.: 10/036,546

Group Art Unit: 1616

Filed: January 7, 2002

Examiner: Alton Nathaniel Pryor

For: NON-LETHAL TEMPORARY INCAPACITOR
FORMULATION AND NOVEL SOLVENT SYSTEM

RESPONSE AND AMENDMENT

Mail Stop Non-Fee Amendment
Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

This is filed in response to the Official Action bearing a mail date of March 26, 2003 and is believed to place the application in condition for allowance. The Examiner's consideration of the following amendments and remarks is respectfully requested and reconsideration and withdrawal of the outstanding rejections is respectfully urged.

Applicant acknowledges with great appreciation the withdrawal of the restriction requirement and confirms the election of the species where the propylene glycol ester is propylene glycol dicaprylate/caprate and the incapacitating agent is oleoresin capsicum.

Applicant also acknowledges with great appreciation the allowance of claims 15 to 20 and the indication of allowability of claims 12 to 14. The rejections of the remaining claims, claims 1 to 11 and 21 to 33, are believed to be obviated in view of the following amendments and remarks. Reconsideration and allowance of these claims is respectfully requested.